

2012 PBIF Awarded Projects

City of Huntingburg – Event & Community Center Enhancements

- Grant funds were used to make improvements to the grounds of the Huntingburg Event & Community Center, the Event Center Gazebo, and the Huntingburg Veterans Memorial.

Cities of Wabash & town of North Manchester – Community Art Installations

- Grant funds were used for community beautification projects within the City of Wabash and the Town of North Manchester. A riverfront park along the Eel River in North Manchester will be installed.

City of Bedford – Harp Commons Project

- Grant funds were used for the Harp Commons project, located on the west-side of Bedford's Downtown Square including constructing a pavilion, adding artwork and implementing landscaping.

City of Seymour – Downtown Park

- Grant funds were used to redevelop 3 vacant lots into a green space in Seymour's downtown area. The project will be known as the Seymour Pocket Park, and will be maintained by the Seymour Parks Department.

Town of Brookville – Downtown/ Riverfront Revitalization

- Grant funds were used to make improvements to Brookville Main Street, downtown river view, and East Fork Riverscape.

City of Kokomo – Soccer Complex

- Grant funds were used for the Wildcat Creek Soccer Complex. The complex is located on a 60 acre former environmental Brownfield site, and will provide competitive facilities to attract regional soccer tournaments and promote healthy lifestyles through soccer.

City of Marion – Downtown Park

- Grant funds were used for the Garfield Garden project. Garfield Garden will be located on downtown Marion's west side and will celebrate Garfield, the cartoon cat created by Grant County native Jim Davis. The Garfield Garden will serve as one component of a broader downtown revitalization plan and will serve as a gateway to the downtown business district.

Town of Santa Claus – Attraction Trail System

- Grant funds were used to assist in developing bicycle/pedestrian trails throughout the Town of Santa Claus. This includes improvements to Yellig Trail, dedicating a multi-modal lane on Kaspar Drive and improvements to downtown sidewalks.

City of Cannelton – Riverfront Greenway

- Grant funds were used for the Cannelton Riverwalk project. The Riverwalk will be a riverfront greenway along the Ohio River, constructed on the river side of an existing floodwall providing a beautiful area for exercise without the dangers of vehicular traffic.